

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
LASHINSKI, Randall et al.

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For: ADJUSTABLE TRANSLUMINAL
ANNULOPLASTY SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JULY 23, 2008

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 23, 2008, please consider the above-captioned application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.